Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty, and concern for others, and each of these attributes can be ascribed to Shirleen Fugitt, who has served over 38 years for the state of South Dakota; and,

Whereas, Shirleen has dedicated her service to the state of South Dakota in the offices of Legislative Research Council, Department of Education, Attorney General, Tourism, Public Utilities Commission, Lottery, The office of Governor William J. Janklow and Governor George S. Mickelson, and over 13 years with the Department of Transportation; and,

Whereas, Shirleen has given exemplary performance as an extraordinary employee. During her career with the Department of Transportation, Shirleen has balanced her daily tasks with the ability to maintain a harmonious atmosphere for all who enter the Department doors; and,

Whereas, Shirleen has devoted the majority of her working life to others while still finding time to travel extensively, visiting family, entertaining, and volunteering countless hours to her church and community; and,

Whereas, Shirleen's professionalism has set high standards for all employees of the Department with her honesty, loyalty, and integrity, and she will be missed by her friends and co-workers in the Department; and,

Whereas, Shirleen will retire on December 6, 2013, and it is fitting and proper as Governor to make special note of this outstanding South Dakotan on this momentous occasion:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim December 6, 2013, as

SHIRLEEN FUGITT DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with her family, friends, and colleagues in wishing her a fulfilling and happy retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-fifth Day of November in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Thirteen.

Dennis Daugaard

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State